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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Re: In the Matter of an Adjustment of the Gas Rates of The Union Light, Heat and Power Company, Case No. 2005-00042

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

I have enclosed the following documents for filing in the above-referenced case:

- ULH&P's responses to Staff's second set of data requests KyPSC-DR-02-032, KyPSC-DR-02-088 and KyPSC-DR-02-093; and
- ULH&P's responses to the Attorney General's first set of data requests KyAG-DR-01-093, KyAG-DR-01-094, and KyAG-DR-01-108.

ULH&P respectfully requests a further extension of time through Thursday, April 28, 2005 to respond to Staff requests KyPSC-DR-02-001, KyPSC-DR-02-002, and KyPSC-DR-02-035. ULH&P was unable to complete this review by today, as originally anticipated when ULH&P requested an extension of time in its letter dated April 19, 2005. These data requests have taken ULH&P an inordinate amount of time to complete because they have required an extensive review of ULH&P's accounting records.

Additionally, ULH&P requests until Monday, May 2, 2005 to respond to KyPSC-DR-02-021. This data required ULH&P to do a complete analysis of the impact of a tax change on ULH&P's revenue requirements, and required extensive analysis.

If the Staff or Attorney General require additional time to submit data requests targeting ULH&P's response to any of these four data requests, ULH&P does not object.

In support of its request for an extension of time for these ten data requests, ULH&P submits that it has used its best efforts to follow the Commission's original procedural schedule. ULH&P demonstrated its diligence by responding to items 143 through 220 of the Attorney General's first set of data requests within the original time allotted by the procedural schedule, even though ULH&P received these data requests two days late due to the Attorney General's consultant's health problem.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (513) 287-3601.

Sincerely,

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cc: Hon. Elizabeth E. Blackford (with enclosures)